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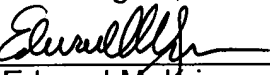
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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

In an Office Action dated January 8, 2003, in the above-identified patent application, the Patent Office communicated the following restriction requirement:

Restriction to one of the following inventions is required under 35 U.S.C. 121:

I. Claims 1-10 are drawn to a tube and anchoring device, classified in class 604, subclass 104.

II. Claims 11-14 are drawn to tube with a fitting, classified in class 606, subclass 191.


In response to the foregoing restriction requirement, Applicant respectfully elects Group I, claims 1-10.

Applicant respectfully requests that all future correspondence regarding the present application be directed to the undersigned. (The outstanding Office Action was not sent to the undersigned, but rather, was sent to another attorney whose power had previously been revoked.)

If there are any fees due in connection with the filing of this paper that are not accounted for, the Examiner is authorized to charge the fees to our Deposit Account No. 11-1755. If a fee is required for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 that is not accounted for already, such an extension of time is requested and the fee should also be charged to our Deposit Account.

Respectfully submitted,

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